

COUNTRY East Germany

SUBJECT Rail Freight Traffic through East German Border Stations

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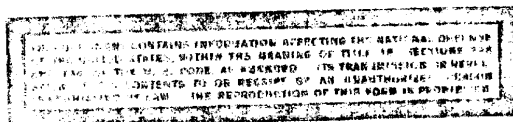
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1. [redacted] the following numbers of grain shuttle cars entered and left East Germany in November 1953:

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Border Crossing Station	Incoming Loaded Boxcars	Outgoing Empty Boxcars
Frankfurt/Oder	1 425 B	5223
Guben	643	546 1

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2. Between 15 and 30 November 1953, [redacted] two trains of 60 axles loaded with bauxite en route from Czechoslovakia to East Germany via Ebersbach and two empty trains in the opposite direction. 2
3. On 18 November, a train of 27 flatcars loaded with two wagons each was observed at the Weismesser railroad station en route from Ebersbach to Stalingrad. 3

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5. The following shipments [redacted] between 1 and 7 December:

B - boxcar
F - flatcar
SS -)
SSy -) heavy-duty flatcars
RRym -)

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Date in December	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To	
1	52 T	gasoline	Ruhland	Werneuchen	4
3	20 F	empty	Rummelsburg	Frankfurt/Oder	5
4	3 B, 33 F, 29 SSy	military goods empty	Leipzig Friedrichshagen	Brest Litovsk Frankfurt/Oder	
5	24 SSy 55 cars	" military goods	Rummelsburg Strausberg	Frankfurt/Oder Kuestrin	
6	25 SSy	empty	Rummelsburg	Frankfurt/Oder	5
7	43 F 50 cars	military goods "	Halle Strausberg	Brest Litovsk Kuestrin	

Between 3 and 7 December 2 or 3 empty trains consisting of F, SS, SSy, and RRym type cars were daily dispatched from Rummelsburg to Frankfurt/Oder. 5

6. [] shipments [] between 29 November and 10 December: 25X1

Date in November	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To	
29 December	25 RRym	empty	Magdeburg	Brest Litovsk	5
5	25 SSy	"	"	"	5
8	49 F	"	Frankfurt/Oder	Nordhausen	
10	39 T	gasoline	Grosskorbetha	Wustermark	4

7. [] shipments [] between 22 November and 10 December: 25X1

Date in November	Composition of Trains	Load	From	To	
22	18 RRym	empty	Eisleben	Brest Litovsk	
	112 axles 8 cars		Leipzig Frankfurt/Oder	" Jena	
	34 "		"	Klotzsche	
23	34 SS		Roederau	Frankfurt/Oder	
	45 cars		Frankfurt/Oder	Dresden	
24	8 "		Brest Litovsk	Ziesar	
	29 "		"	Altenhain	

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25	45 cars	Ruchholz	Brest Litovsk	
	45 "	Aue	"	
	20 RRYm empty	Weissenfels	Brest Litovsk	5
	108 axles	Halle	"	
	54 cars	Ruhland	Werneuchen	4
	34 cars Diesel oil	Troeglitz	Stettin	
27	35 "	" "	Stettin	
28	27 T gasoline	Roehlen	Chabinka	
	57 T "	Grosskorbetha	Stettin	
	28 B undetermined	Frankfurt	Altengrabow	
	8 B crash cars			
	49 cars	Leipzig	Brest Litovsk	
	22 T	paraldehyde Schkopau	"	
	6 SS, 14 RRY	Magdeburg	"	
	52 T Diesel oil	Troeglitz	Stettin	
29	16 T gasoline	Roehlen	Chabinka	
	46 cars	Schwarzenberg	Brest Litovsk	
30	46 "	Aue	"	
	5 "	Kuestrin	Velten	
	4 "	"	Neustrelitz	
December 7	52 "	Leipzig	Brest Litovsk	
8	26 T paraldehyde	Schkopau	"	
9	31 cars	Dessau	"	
	46 " "Masse" (uranium ore)	Annaberg	"	
	60 T gasoline	Grosskorbetha	Stade	4
	45 cars "Masse" (uranium ore)	Aue	Brest Litovsk	
10	45 "	Leipzig	"	

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1. Comment. In November, grain imports from the USSR were resumed after a temporary interruption. If an average load of 15 tons of grain is assumed to have been carried on each car, the 2,068 cars reported amounted to a total of 31,000 tons of grain in November.

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